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HOME RULE AND GLADSTONE AT THE METROPOLIS.

The wires tell us that the Grand Old Man reached London yesterday after chopping down the regular tree at Hawarden, and taking in a cursory view of his supporters in the North of England, in the Midland counties and not through Midlothian. The Grand Old Man, with the intensity of ambition to weld England, Ireland and Scotland, has gone to the very extremity of his political functions. Doubtless he does not expect to see his "race run out." He does not think that in his days his scheme for Home Rule will be consummated. And in his scheme—whilst there is a great deal of vindication for oppressed Ireland—reminding one of CARLYLE's history of the French revolution, where the Prefect of the time told the starving *habitants* to "eat grass." But they did not eat grass; they eat what their republic produced, and that is the desideratum of the "Grand Old Man" for Ireland. He wants to correct the evil arising, naturally in any country, by absentee landlordism; from the monopolization of a producing soil, from unappreciative owners. In a word, to extend to the Emerald Isle and to the land of that harp that "Once Thro' Tara's Hall" sounded in its sweet resonance and plaintive melody the story which is the life memory of THOMAS MOORE. But will GLADSTONE in his years of seventy-seven carry to preliminary success that which he longs for his party's sake to ultimately achieve? As an orator he is doubtless without more than one or two of his equals in the United Kingdom; but in a silvery tongue there is sometimes just the escaping valve for the careful listener and political opponent. Now, in Birmingham, in Belfast, in Ipswich and in Nottingham and in Wolverhampton and in Manchester, there at least a great voice rests as to whether GLADSTONE shall continue to wield that old power he has done. Will his past experience be sustained in Greenwich or throughout Lancashire? These are amongst the questions which must be very pronouncedly spoken on when the Irish bill comes up again before the House of Commons. To day Mr. GLADSTONE sits with a majority in that House, and that he will leave no effort to retain it we believe. He deserves to accomplish that end—to see the golden sunset of his life. *Cave Canem.* And there are "dogs in the kennel" who knew him in his earliest halcyon days, and learned to respect him and fawn upon him, that may yet turn the snarl of ingratitude simply on the vital point of Home Rule, Liberty, or Conservatism. Beyond this the most pregnant question, so far as home rule or foreign rule is concerned, is the diplomatic relations between England and the great powers. Seated now with the full confidence of her people, Queen VICTORIA is almost entering on the 50th year of a pacific and unprecedented life, and shortly the fiftieth year of her reign. And it would be a fitting laurel on the brow of the Grand Old Man to see that his Queen lives and that the integrity of the empire is preserved. As an index of the times no more significant finger can be raised than the enthusiasm displayed at the opening of the Colonial Exhibition yesterday. There was evidence there that the Colonies appreciate the supremacy of England and at the same time are our coadjutors in the assertion of our individual rights.

MEDICAL COUNCIL.

The first meeting of the British Columbia Medical Council was held in this city on Saturday last, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Dr. I. W. Powell; Vice-President, Dr. C. N. Trew; Treasurer, Dr. J. C. Davie; Registrar and Secretary, Dr. G. L. Milne.

FOR ALBERNI.

Mr. William Halpenny, government guide, left with a party of intending settlers for Alberni, by the Amelia this morning. It is to be hoped that they will be pleased and decide to make Alberni their future home.

GRANITE CREEK—VERY LATEST NEWS.

The leather soled gum boots are a grand success. Miners, and those intending to visit the mines, will do well to provide themselves with a pair before leaving the city. They are being sold at greatly reduced prices, and the sale will last for only fifteen days. To be held at H. Mansell's Government street. *

There was a crowded and enthusiastic house at the Porte St. Martin Theatre, Paris, last Tuesday night, to witness *Fedora*, the occasion being the last performance of Sarah Bernhardt before going to London, *en route* to America for eighteen months. The dressing room of the famous actress was literally filled with magnificent bouquets and baskets of roses sent during the performance. Bernhardt will take a magnificent trousseau on her tour; the dresses are said to have cost 50,000 francs, and other accessories of costume at least 25,000 francs in addition. A good deal of excitement is going on in the theatrical world respecting the two new and successful pieces, "Jim the Penman," produced at the Haymarket, and "The Schoolmistress" at the Court Theatre. Both plays were received with enthusiasm. A telegram from Lisbon gives an account of the immense success of Madame Patti in *Lucia*. She was recalled thirty times after the third act, and covered with bouquets and baskets of flowers.

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MIXED HUSBANDRY.

Prof. Brown of the Ontario School of Agriculture on the Subject.

Interesting Letter Worthy of Perusal by Every Farmer in British Columbia.

Prof. Brown, of the Ontario School of Agriculture, Guelph, forwards the following letter to THE TIMES for publication. The position occupied by Mr. Brown as Professor of Agriculture and Superintendent of Ontario's experiment farm, adds weight to any remarks he makes on agriculture, stock raising or such kindred subjects. His letter therefore will be read with much interest by British Columbians who give attention to agricultural and stock raising matters.

The professor begins his letter by a reference to Ontario, and that she must remain a permanent grower of cereals whatever branch of her agriculture may predominate during any particular period, is no doubt true. Competition does not affect

MIXED FARMING

in comparison with a specialty such as dairying, and wheat is an absolutely necessary part of systematic crop growing, cannot be neglected in its thorough maintenance by as systematic work in selection, change, and even the making of new varieties. Before submitting the more special subject of this letter, I find it is necessary to say a word on the whole question of maintaining the character of wheats in this country. The science of the subject is not a prominent thing anywhere at present, for what has been done is creditable to the practical farmer more than the botanist. The world as yet is not well up in what it is that affects the conduct of wheats under all the variety of circumstances and physical conditions. Admitting that there is a close analogy in the variation of plants and animals under domestication, the living child that walks about is easier diagnosed, so to speak, than the standing plant, and must always be more interesting and receive more study than the other. I think one of the uncultivated fields of wheat improvement is the use of the microscope. If quality, permanence, immunity from disease, and other characteristics are not part and piece of the internal anatomy, than all our masters in physiology have been wrong. Why then the neglect of this simple and efficient test? There are early, late, northern, southern, rich soil and poor soil,

TYPES OF WHEAT,

that tell of their whereabouts and character, by the way the grain and straw are put together. Take an example of this that occurred in Ontario ten years ago, in the case of the Egyptian or Eldorado spring wheat, which sold at first for $10 a bushel. Had our farmers and millers been familiar with the proper mixture of science and practice needed to detect good and bad in this particular line—and which by the way, in this case, required no microscope—they would at once have said 'no, not even as a gift,' because the coarse structure of the broken berry, and the pithy, spongy straw, told of things we do not want, and that this wheat could only produce. The prime objects, of course, are to uphold the test type already in use, and if possible, to improve them, to also import new varieties, and hybridise in view to establishing new ones. This work should be part the work of experimental stations. Crosses amongst wheats have not, however, made that reliable sort equal to the best original kinds, and at present we cannot ask Ontario to wait for developments in this way. On the other hand, the securing of varieties from Europe has been hitherto the mainstay of the continent. Even as far back as fifty years the wheats of America were found to be identical with the native sorts of Britain and it is

SOMETHING WORTH KNOWING

that Britain does not owe a single good variety of wheat to any other country. In this connection our present and future experts should remember that varieties are not produced so much, if any, much by soil or climate influences, but by what is termed "the prodigality of nature." Climate, possibly, can only affect in size, vigor, and staying power, and when, from such circumstances we have a variety doing well, it is not so adapted to change on new conditions of growth, while, on the other hand, others are possessed of so much variability of character as to conform themselves to changes readily. And here, allow the remark that the idea of producing the best variety for all districts is contrary to the true principles of improvement, and in order to grow many wheats successfully for a period of years, we must be well acquainted with the conditions that made them, as, for example, it may be that high cultivation and their seeding, or early and their seeding, are quite opposed to maintaining their whole characteristics. I have to thank Mr. Evershed, of England, for several of the foregoing notes. Any country of such importance as ours should systematically introduce and

TEST WHEATS FOR ITS PEOPLE,—

no sounder politics than this, and the future should not be neglected in this item. Meantime there is another work demanding greater attention than it has hitherto received. A very common and good practice among our farmers is change of seed, one from another, and from distant parts of the Province. In this respect our leading seedsmen have also done excellent work. Many of these changes have not succeeded, where it may be, we had become wise after the event. The wheat regions of Canada are already well outlined, and possessing the range we do of altitude, elevation, forest influence and soil, it seems somewhat strange that no effort has been made to zone or outline the country by the kinds of wheat that characterizes them. Such is the variety of these conditions, even in Ontario, that we hold in our own hands possibly a greater wheat variety yield than Europe itself. At the present moment some of the older standards, such as Red Fife, are said to be doing as well in the northeast of the Province as they did a quarter of a century ago, both there and in the more southern districts, where now it is said to be impossible to secure the crops of former years, or to uphold the many goodness of such a variety as

THE RED FYFE.

In this there are evidently important facts for the Province, so much so I think as to demand immediate scientific enquiry. Be it soil, climate, or other local peculiarities, there is an incalculable national value in the very idea of part of our Province being able to maintain some wheats for an indefinite period in all their original characteristics. The home of a variety may as reasonably be met by conditions in the neighborhood of Ottawa as of others, or indeed of the very same kind as Russia, immediately north of the Black Sea, from which some of the best spring wheats have been obtained. Another feature of our wheat growing is just beginning to loom up in the distant Northwest. The great field and physical area being covered there so rapidly, is as likely to illustrate the capability of upholding the bases of the same or another wheat life for many years, if not permanently, as that referred to in Central Canada. In place, therefore, of longer waiting and greater risks by importations, it is clearly the duty of Canada's farmers to immediately secure the good old Fyfe from our northeast. Several arguments could be advanced in favor of this recommendation. There is, after all, more chances of success by the improvement of those that have done well with us, both by the selection of particular berries and their re-invigoration by studied conditions. Would it not pay Canada many hundred folds to be able to see the old Fyfe days again, and therefore to hold a first-class experimental export for purpose indicated?

AFFAIRS IN ENGLAND.

Mr. Gladstone's Reception—A Marvellous Effort—Home Rule.

British Columbians Abroad—Taste in Reading—Interesting Gossip.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

NOTTINGHAM, April 17.—The wires will have ere now conveyed to you the news of Mr. Gladstone's Home Rule scheme and the reception and greetings accorded him on his way to the Commons, and within the famous chamber in St. Stephen, in which the Premier's voice has been heard for

OVER HALF A CENTURY.

Few men indeed can point to such a record, and yet to-day at the advanced age of 76 years, the Grand Old Man is without a peer as an orator or debator in either the Commons or House of Lords and without doubt the most influential personage within the British realms—if not in the whole world. The following particulars of the Premier's progress towards the House of Commons, which was possibly one of the greatest demonstrations ever witnessed in London: The signal was given that the Premier was coming. Down went all the umbrellas in a moment, though the pelting rain was almost at its height. There was a rush for the gates and it was hard work for the constables to close them in time to prevent a tumultuous entry. Then through the surging multitude a couple of mounted police cleared the way for one horsed victoria containing the Premier with Mrs. Gladstone at his side. There were many known opponents of the venerable statesman who joined the outburst of respect and interest which greeted the veteran. Admiring followers, faithful adherents, gathered round and sent up shouts at the top of their voices; "and even the ranks of Tuskany could scarce forbear to cheer."

DEMONSTRATION INSIDE ST. STEPHENS.

All that had been done in the way of greetings, however, was surpassed when Mr. Gladstone entered the House. Never before have members risen to greet a Minister. On this occasion the whole of the occupants of the Liberal benches rose to their feet and cheered vociferously. So did the Irish members, and as they had obtained so many of the opposition seats, it looked very much as if the whole House were standing with the exception of the two front benches. The cheering was again and again renewed, and the strangers present witnessed a spectacle which not only had never been seen before, but which the oldest parliamentary hand would not have thought, under any circumstances, possible.

A MARVELLOUS EFFORT

Mr. Gladstone began with nothing on the box before him. He is never a man to make a fuss about his notes, and it was some time before he had recourse to his materials. When he did it became evident that he was rather more elaborately prepared than usual with quires of quarto sheets, dealing separately with different branches of the great question which was to occupy him, as it proved, for three hours and twenty-three minutes—a wonderful effort of mere physical and mental endurance for a man in his seventy-seventh year. How much more remarkable when the work was the boldest ever attempted, proposed entirely at his own instance, and in a manner which probably no statesman of any period in any country could have approached.

THE FASHIONS.

Spring does not come with quick brightness enough for the tradesmen of London. It does so happen that spring dresses are hardly yet known among us. Last year's costumes come out on one warm Sunday, and since then we have had so many dull days and wet days that the ladies hardly seem to care for venturing upon bright-hued garments. The eternal plush mantle still pervades the streets, and the ladies are very shy of indulging in spring dresses. Hints are given, however, of the popular fashion, and we are very likely indeed to see a great deal of green as soon as the sun becomes warm. I am sorry to add that that hideous institution the dress-improver is to be worn larger than ever.

BRITISH COLUMBIANS.

I was favored with a visit this week from Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Williams, residents of your city, and who remained three days in our gay city viewing all the interesting sights. They returned to Buxton yesterday, well pleased with the visit, and regretting very much that time would not permit them to remain longer in "one of the prettiest towns they had yet visited in England." During their sojourn in England they have visited many interesting spots, yet they are anxious to get back home to good old Victoria to settle there for good, so they sail from Liverpool for Victoria on April 28th, in the fine steamship America; they will reach home on or about May 20th. I wish them *bon voyage.*

A WONDERFUL FEAT.

At London, the other day, J. Finney, the celebrated ornamental swimmer, succeeded in beating all previous records for remaining beneath water by so much as 26¼ seconds. Finney accomplished the great feat by remaining under water for 4 minutes, 29¼ seconds. J. H.

By the use of Buckingham's Dye, the whiskers may be made a permanent, natural brown, or black, as desired. *

ANARCHY IN CHICAGO.

The Contagion Spreads to Milwaukee—Bloodshed.

The Socialistic Leaders are Captured and Imprisoned.

CHICAGO, May 5.—The excitement of the general populace is very intense, growing out of the massacre planned and carried out by the small band of anarchists and their blind followers last night. The city outwardly is very quiet. The street cars are at every point of gathering. The city's events of last night are being seriously discussed by a large conservative element. The population, it is proper to say, has never seriously contemplated the outbreak in such serious proportions and of such an atrocious character. Words are heard on every side this morning of utter and abhorrent condemnation of the assault made on the police. The occurrences of Monday and last night are ascribed in the public mind to the teachings and recent utterances principally of three men, August Spies, A. R. Parsons and Samuel Fielding, the speakers of last night. They have been pointed out by nearly every paper in the city during the past four days and the tragic culmination on Desplaines street only appeared to emphasize these warnings. Their arrest has been repeatedly demanded. When the firing began last night Parsons was the only man seen to be recognized. He was in a liquor store at the corner of Desplaines and Lake streets, Socialists' headquarters, were within one hundred and fifty feet of that point where the deadly bomb was thrown. The firing at the police came from the same direction and it is surmised the ammunition obtained their guns and made

THE SOCIALISTS' HALL,

their rendezvous, and from thence they proceeded to make their assault. They were concealed behind big boxes and barrels on the sidewalk, having their guns and firing during the confusion following an explosion. Parsons was seen on the place accompanied by his negro wife for only a moment and then disappeared with other anarchists and the police searched for three men all night but did not succeed in finding them. A little after 8 o'clock this morning all three were found in a close room in the office of the *Zeitung* newspaper, at 107 Fifth Avenue. They were in consultation when the officers came upon them, and exhibited alarm but offered no resistance. They were taken quietly to the Central police station a block away and up to 9 o'clock the public had not been made aware of their arrest. They are kept closely guarded and no one is permitted to see them. It is not known if any charge will be made against them and what the exact policy the city authorities intend to pursue. They have no evidence against Spies in his guarded but inflammatory utterances in his newspaper in which he has made within the last few days urging dynamite warfare against the police and all regularly constituted authorities. Mayor Harrison asserts his ability to preserve

ABSOLUTE PEACE IN CHICAGO

without outside aid. He argues that the occurrence of last night could not have been foreseen and was an unparalleled event in American history. The entire police force is on duty to-day and its members are apparently in a first class condition. While their duties may be arduous, the fact that the department is equipped with numerous patrol wagons, they may be enabled to reach the scenes of disorder without fatigue, consequent upon strictly marching in a body. The police are accorded by the entire press praise for their discretion, bravery and excellent discipline in the face of unusual assaults by the criminal element of the city

MOB FIRED INTO.

A report from Bay View says, the militia fired on the mob this morning. Two rioters are known to be killed. The mob is marching towards the Allis works, which started under military protection this morning. A light horse squadron are on the way to the Allis works.

A large gathering of Socialists are reported at Milwaukee. The Garden police are on their way to the spot as serious trouble is feared.

BEST'S BREWERY ATTACKED.

The mob of Socialists which assembled at Milwaukee Garden has started for Best's brewery. Three companies of infantry, platoon cavalry and platoon police are on the way to intercept them.

Eye witnesses of the shooting at Bay View reports that two men were killed outright, two mortally wounded and a number slightly hurt. A collision occurred at Deer Creek bridge close to the village of Bayview.

LATEST REPORTS FROM BAYVIEW

show a much more serious condition of affairs than at first reported. A crowd of rioters commenced to form at 8:30 a. m., and moved towards the mills. Six military companies were marched out of the grounds and stationed in front of the works, and as the crowd approached, and paying no attention to orders to halt,

THE DREAD WORD FIRE

was given and a volley was given. They beat a hasty retreat when it was learned that five lives had been sacrificed and several wounded. One of killed was a school boy who had his school book under his arm when he fell. While the trouble was going on at Bayview a large crowd of socialists and strikers assembled

AT MILWAUKEE GARDEN,

west side, and were preparing to carry out a programme of riot and destruction. A platoon of sixty policemen and three infantry companies was dispatched there and cleared the premises. The mob then reassembled and proceeded to Best's brewery. Word has just been received at military headquarters that a disturbance took place there in which it became necessary to resort to firing, and two persons were killed. The city is in a state of excitement equalled at no time since the present trouble commenced.

SAMUEL FIELDING,

a rabid anarchist, argued with August Spies, spoke the last words to the mob last night, which led to the slaughter. He was found this morning, when safely caged at the central station, suffering from a gunshot wound in the leg.

THREE THOUSAND MEN,

employed in the car shops at Pullman, went out this a. m., joining the thousand who quit yesterday. A big mass meeting was held at 9 o'clock and a resolution adopted condemning the violent actions of the socialists and declaring that they had no sympathy with that element or its methods, and counselling quiet and good order.

THE FIRING OF ?

and the fatal result resulted in dispersing the mob. The greater part of the rioters are those of Polish nationality at last returned to the city on the south side and proceeded to sack the residence of Capt. Borchar of the guards; yesterday's firing having been done by that company. The residence is a complete wreck. The infuriated Polanders then assembled near the Polish church and it is rumored decided to arm themselves and make a raid on the militia at Bay View this afternoon.

THE POLICE

are rapidly collecting evidence against the chief conspirators amongst the anarchists. They searched Spie's office this morning and found absolute proof of inflammatory as well as circulars mentioned in their dispatches.

FROM BURMAH.

The Rebels in Possession of Mandalay—Great Destruction of Property.

LONDON, May 5.—A dispatch from Burmah states that the insurgents have possession of Mandalay and destroyed by fire no less than four thousand houses. Among the buildings burned were the Chinese and Siamese bazaars. The hostilities of the natives, who remain true to dethrone King Thebaw to the Chinese is intense because of the Chinese openly avowed endorsement of Great Britain's seizure of Burmah. The officers commanding the British forces have telegraphed to Lord Dufferin, Viceroy that they are powerless to prevent the rebellious rioting of the natives and have urgently asked for reinforcements.

A BIG SALE.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company's Sale of Granville Reserve.

VANCOUVER, May 5.—The sale of city lots in the Granville townsite reserve, now the property of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company began at 9 o'clock, sharp, this morning, in the office of the company in the Ferguson block. This sale had been looked forward to for some time by parties intending to invest in what is supposed to be inside city property. It was known that the principle to be adopted would be first come first served; consequently long before the appointed hour for opening the sale had been reached an eager surging crowd were in the building and on the street leading thereto. Mr. S. A. Hamilton conducted the sale with ability and expedition. By noon he had closed the sale of ninety lots; the gross proceeds of which was $66,000 or an average of $750 for each lot. The frontage is 25 feet by an average depth of 120 feet to a lane. Each lot for sale had its price named in the catalogue, which also stipulated the terms which was one-third cash; balance in six and twelve months, with interest at 6 per cent, with a rebate of 20 per cent on a $2000 building erected inside of a year and 30 per cent. on a $5000 building. At noon the rush was over. Buyers consider their purchases reasonable. Others hold that present prices cannot be sustained, and that a decided fall will take place shortly.

It is reported on good authority that Mr. Dennis Harris, of your city, for Senator Macdonald yesterday closed the sale of a 66 by 140 lot on Cordova street, in rear of telegraph office for the sum of $5250.

TWO MEN BURIED.

The Brackett Block in Minneapolis Crumbles.

ST. PAUL, May 5.—A report has just reached this city that the magnificent Brackett block, in Minneapolis, has fallen in, burying 23 men in the ruins. Further particulars are anxiously looked for.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Charles Sivalls and wife, of Chicago, are at the Driard.

T. E. Ladner, of Ladner's Landing, is in the city.

Mr. G. Riley, paymaster for Bell, Larkin & Paterson, and daughter are in the city.

Alex. J. Coutlie, the Misses Coutlie and Miss Oliver, of Tacoma, are at the Oriental.

Capt. H. R. Troup and Mr. A. Donaldson went up on the Boscowitz last night to Queen Charlotte Islands on a prospecting tour.

Mr. J. C. Rykert, Collector of Customs at Kootenay, and wife, arrived by the North Pacific to-day and are stopping at the Driard.

J. G. Swan, of Port Townsend, is registered at the Oriental.

Rev. W. Duncan sailed on the Boscowitz last night for his home at Metlakatlah.

Mr. Thos. Jewell, of Wichita, Kansas, left on the Sound steamer yesterday for home. He had been visiting his brother, Mr. H. Jewell, of this city.

Mrs. Martin and family lately of Montreal, who have been guests at the Douglas House, leaves on Friday morning to join her husband at Vancouver, their future home. Already they have made a host of friends in the metropolis, and carry with them their well wishes.

Dr. H. H. Darst and wife, of Toledo, O., arrived by way of the sound this morning and are guests at the Driard. They have been on the wing since early in December last, during which period they have visited the South and Southwestern States, New and Old Mexico, California and Oregon. They expect to reach home by next fall. The doctor, having heard much of Victoria and its unrivalled climate, came to see for himself. He confesses that not one-half of its glories have been told. He is charmed with Victoria and all he has already seen of it, and is confident that tourists from all sections will visit the Queen City of the North Pacific.

Passengers per North Pacific to-day: J C Rykert and wife, M Gillespie, T Saunders, T J Young, H Cooper, T F Chow, F Murphy, E Wilson, Jno Cameron, J Chilberg, C Sivalls and wife, J Stenberg, W Compton, H H Darst and wife, Rev H W Reed, E Forsythe, Mrs Algar and two children, A Coutlie and wife, Miss Oliver, Geo Wingate, H Stevens, A Barwick, H Eastman, A Rochet, M Jordan, E Fleck, F Gard, J C Swan, C Carey.

POLICE COURT.

(Before E. Johnson, S. M.)

This morning David Cargie and J. Ingraham, two lads well known to the city were charged with breaking into the public school building. Remanded till to-morrow.

The Daily Times.

PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Wednesday, May 5, 1886.

THE DAILY TIMES,

Published daily and weekly by the VICTORIA TIMES PRINTING AND PUBLISHING COMPANY, Ld.

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DAILY TIMES delivered in all parts of the city by carrier, at 25 cents per week.

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J. C. McLAGAN, Manager.

AN ENLIGHTENED MOVE.

Heretofore, in the civil suits throughout the Dominion, agnostics or free thinkers were qualified witnesses, but their evidence was not accepted in criminal suits. These class of thinkers make just as good witnesses as any other people, and the laws regarding perjury are just as applicable in their cases as in the cases of others, but there has always been an absurd prejudice against accepting their evidence on oath. This prejudice was preserved in the statute book until Mr. ROBERTSON, of Hamilton, succeeded in inducing the House of Commons to vote for its removal. It might happen that an agnostic or free thinker might be the most material witness in a case of life and death and yet this absurd law be the means of preventing his testimony from being given. The judges have expressed themselves as being in favor of removing the restriction, and it will now no doubt be removed, as the Senate is not likely to stand in the way. It is an anomaly that agnostics would be witnesses in civil suits, involving a few hundred dollars, and yet not be witnesses in criminal suits, involving life and liberty. The explanation is that the laws affecting civil cases are made by the provincial legislature and those affecting crime by the Dominion parliament. The Ontario legislature led the way and now the higher body follows the lead. Whatever objection may be raised to people entertaining agnostic views it must be admitted that the mere fact that they do entertain such views is not sufficient reason for closing their mouths in a court of law. The bill passed the Commons by a vote of 86 to 52. A majority of the Liberals voted for and supported the bill, which allows witnesses to affirm instead of taking the oath, which after all is but a mere formality, but there is no denying that with a certain class of witnesses it has a restraining effect. Many a witness who has "kissed the book" would tell a different story if it were not for the feeling of awe and superstition that pervades him. Many another witness tells a different story as it is, notwithstanding the oath. The amending of the law which opens the witness box to free thinkers and agnostics by allowing them to affirm removes a stigma under which they should not so long have been allowed to rest.

CAPITAL ORGANIZING.

The right of the Knights of Labor to combine and organize for protection against tyranny or labor hardships being conceded by the United States Congress, what more natural than to expect that the other side—capital—will likewise organize? This is exactly what appears already to have taken a strong start in New England. From Boston we hear that the sudden and unexpected collapse of what threatened to be a serious strike at the Whittenton mills, Taunton, was caused by the discovery that the mill belonged to a huge organization of textile industries of New England, which has been formed so quietly that it has escaped all notice. This organization extends over Rhode Island and Connecticut, and already includes forty-nine large woollen mills. This society was organized for mutual protection. It does not recognize the authority of the Knights of Labor in any way, but is prepared to use arbitration in the settlement of strikes. The organization is growing in numbers, and it proposes to give each strike careful consideration, and to assist only those manufacturers who are unfairly treated by their help. A second society, embracing all cotton mills of any importance in Maine, New Hampshire and Massachusetts, was quietly completed, and it elected its officers in Boston on Wednesday last. The Massachusetts League is a League of cotton mills, to which woollen mills are to be admitted, while the Rhode Island Society was formed by woollen mills, and subsequently admitted cotton manufacturers. During a month past the cotton mill owners of Massachusetts have been quietly preparing for organization for mutual insurance against labor disturbances. The cotton manufacturing industry is better adapted for the formation of such an organization than many others, because it is composed of a number of large mills, rather than a large number of small ones. The quiet organization which has taken place, therefore, has been conducted with much expedition, and its result will probably be witnessed at the next attempt of the mill hands to secure the discharge of workmen who are not members of the union. The society is not a corporation, and has no stock. The yearly pay-rolls of the Massachusetts mills that have already joined amount to $15,000,000. It is claimed that the aims of the society are not in any sense aggressive, and its purpose is not to attack the Knights of Labor, but simply to protect its members against unjust persecution. The methods of self-defence which the society will employ have not yet been made public.

REMAIN NEUTRAL.

A number of leading Eastern politicians and wire-pullers are anxious that Parliament should take up the Irish question and send resolutions to Mr. GLADSTONE approving of his course in connection with the Home Rule and Land Purchase Bills. It is reported that the grand old man is very impressionable to public opinion, when it is in his favor, and is endorsed by people in other lands. Be this as it may, it is strongly urged that Canada, as an important integral portion of the vast British empire should express her opinion on the vexed question. Many forget the fact that Canada has already taken action on the subject and put her views on record, and having done so, no good valid reason has yet been advanced why she should repeat her actions of four years ago. In April 1882, both parties joined voices at Ottawa, and sent resolutions to England, urging the British Government to grant Ireland Home Rule. It will be recalled that both Sir JOHN and Mr. BLAKE spoke in favor of the resolutions, and that Mr. BLAKE expressed the opinion that they were hardly strong enough. Having once passed resolutions, why should Canada be urged to pass another batch? Even if there were some ground for doing so, the ground would disappear when we recall the reception that the former batch met with at the hands of the British Government—Gladstonian then as now. Canada was told in polite terms to attend to her own affairs. But it is pretty certain that notwithstanding this rebuff there will be found in Parliament politicians anxious to curry favor with the Irish votes, by bringing down resolutions approving of Home Rule. In a country of mixed nationalties like ours it would be better to leave such questions to be settled by the only body which has power to settle them—the British Government.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

WITH JAY GOULD the ruling passion is strong. While he was giving his testimony before the Congressional Committee, the other day, he kept a glass of water before him from which he drank every few minutes. Was it to be expected that the great railway manipulator would water his testimony?

A FEW years more will see England connected with her colonies by a perfect network of cables. A bill is before the Imperial Parliament for laying an alternative cable by way of Cape Town to India, thence to New Zealand and Australia. The C. P. R. Company is promoting the construction of a cable from British Columbia to the Sandwich Islands, thence to Australia, India and New Zealand, and an English cable is proposed to the West Indies and British Guiana with the existing system. In due time our news from Melbourne, Sydney, Dunedin and Singapore will be on the table as soon as the news from Hamilton or Ottawa.

THE prospect of the passage of the MORRISON-HEWITT tariff bill by the Congress of the United States is not bright. The correspondent of a free trade journal in New York telegraphs from Washington that "several protection Democrats who were disposed to vote for the tariff bill have been notified that if they vote for free wool and lumber, protected articles in which they are interested will be attacked. The allied forces of protection are to be united to prevent a break in the protection column. The argument that is used is that the system must stand or fall as a whole. The protectionists do not intend if they can help it, to support an entering wedge that is designed to separate the interests of the two classes of manufactures." The fact that both houses of Congress have reported in favor of the abrogation of the commercial reciprocity treaty with the Hawaiian islands is also indicative of the sense of the majority of the representatives of the American people on the subject of free trade. The truth is that having tried both systems our neighbors, like ourselves, are determined to cling to that which gives protection to home industries, and cultivates independence of foreign markets.

The Soda Works of California.

Extensive soda works have been begun at Owens lake, in California. A portable engine is employed, and as soon as a vat is filled the engine is moved to another, and the water is left to evaporate from the one that had been filled. This process will be repeated as all the vats until the soda sediment in the water accumulates in the pit until it reaches the surface. It will take about a year to get a crop of soda by this method, which will bring $35 per ton. They expect to gather fifty tons of soda to the acre annually. The number of vats will be increased till they hold an area of 50,000 acres of soda, the income from which is expected to be nearly $2,000,000 a year.—Scientific American.

KING'S EVIL

Was the name formerly given to Scrofula because of a superstition that it could be cured by a king's touch. The world is wiser now, and knows that

SCROFULA

can only be cured by a thorough purification of the blood. If this is neglected, the disease perpetuates its taint through generation after generation. Among its earlier symptomatic developments are **Eczema, Cutaneous Eruptions, Tumors, Boils, Carbuncles, Erysipelas, Purulent Ulcers, Nervous and Physical Collapse,** etc. If allowed to continue, **Rheumatism, Scrofulous Catarrh, Kidney and Liver Diseases, Tubercular Consumption,** and various other dangerous or fatal maladies, are produced by it.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

Is the only powerful and always reliable blood-purifying medicine. It is so effectual an alterative that it eradicates from the system **Hereditary Scrofula,** and the kindred poisons of contagious diseases and mercury. At the same time it enriches and vitalizes the blood, restoring healthful action to the vital organs and rejuvenating the entire system. This great

Regenerative Medicine

is composed of the genuine *Honduras Sarsaparilla,* with *Yellow Dock, Stillingia,* the *Iodides of Potassium* and *Iron,* and other ingredients of great potency, carefully and scientifically compounded. Its formula is generally known to the medical profession, and the best physicians constantly prescribe AYER'S SARSAPARILLA as an

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For all diseases caused by the vitiation of the blood. It is concentrated to the highest practicable degree, far beyond any other preparation for which like effects are claimed, and is therefore the cheapest, as well as the best blood purifying medicine, in the world.

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[Analytical Chemists.]

Sold by all Druggists: Price $1; Six bottles for $5.

(No. 135.)

A BYLAW

Respecting the Municipal Assessment Roll for the Year 1886.

Be it enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1. The Assessment Roll of the said City for the year 1886 shall be returned by the Assessor to the Clerk of the Municipal Council on the seventh day of May, 1886.

2. All persons complaining of their respective assessments on the said Roll shall within one month after the time hereinbefore fixed for returning the said Roll give notice thereof in writing to the Clerk of the Municipal Council, specifying in such notice the grounds of their respective complaints.

3. All complaints of which due notice shall have been given under the last preceding section shall be heard at the City Hall, Victoria, on the ninth day of June, 1886, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as they can be heard.

4. This Bylaw may be cited as the "Assessment Roll By-law, 1886."

Passed the Municipal Council this 14th day of April, A. D., 1886.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 28th day of April, A. D., 1886.

JAMES FELL, Mayor.

JAMES D. ROBINSON, C. M. C.

{L. S.}

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Municipal Notice.

ALL PERSONS who have piled Cordwood along

Dallas Road & Beacon Hill Park

are hereby notified to remove the same within ten days from the date hereof, or it will be subject to seizure and removal by the Corporation.

And from and after the said date any person conveying cordwood or gravel on or over the greensward along the Esplanade, or in any way destroying the banks or roads leading to the beach, will be prosecuted according to law.

By order of the Mayor and Council,

JAMES D. ROBINSON, C. M. C.

City Hall, 8th April, 1886. ap8

Victoria Water Works.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that no Plumber or other workman will be allowed to do or perform any work connected with the supply of water from the Water Works until he shall have complied with Section 11 of the "Water Works Regulation Bylaw, 1885."

THOS. RUSSELL, Water Commissioner.

City Hall, 8th April, 1886 ap 8

Employment Office.

TIM KEE,

Merchant Tailor & Tent Maker,

AND EMPLOYMENT OFFICE,

HAS THE BEST EMPLOYMENT OFFICE in the city, and is prepared to furnish the best men for every branch of employment.

TIM KEE, CORMORANT STREET

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NEW CITY MAP.

For sale at the City Hall on application, price $2.50 each.

JAMES D. ROBINSON, C. M. C.

City Hall, Victoria, April 3, 1886. ap6

Empire Brewery.

HENNING PETERS, late of the Lion Brewery, is now prepared to supply the trade and families with all kinds of

Beer, Ale and Porter.

The Brewery is situated on Spring Ridge, and is built over a well of pure, ever running spring water. This fact enables me to manufacture the very finest brands, equal to any imported Ale, Beer and Porter.

The machinery used is of latest pattern, the ingredients are pure water, malt and hops, and a trial is only necessary to convince that the brands are the finest manufactured in the Province.

All orders for city supply, or for shipment to Island or Mainland points will receive prompt attention and a satisfactory article furnished.

HENNING PETERS, Empire Brewery,

oct10 tf Spring Ridge, Victoria, B. C.

15 DAYS ONLY! 15

—AT THE—

B. C. BOOT & SHOE STORE.

GREAT CASH SALE!

—OF—

NEW SPRING GOODS

—AT—

SWEEPING REDUCTIONS!

This is a bona fide Sale. No humbug. Everybody invited to inspect Goods and Prices.

POSITIVELY NO GOODS CHARGED DURING THE SALE AT REDUCED RATES.

N. B.—All Outstanding Accounts are requested to be settled on or before the 5th day of May.

H. MANSELL, - - - - - - - GOVERNMENT STREET.

Notice.

TAKE notice that Richard Williams Janion and Robert Campbell Rickarby, trading under the firm name of R. C. Janion at Victoria, merchants, have this day made an assignment for the benefit of their creditors, to Richard Hall & William John Gospel, merchants.

Dated 22nd April, 1886. S. PERRY MILLS, Solicitor for Hall & Gospel.

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Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, more or less, situated in Loughborough Inlet, Coast District, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake on the east shore and about four miles from mouth of said Inlet, and running east 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains to place of commencement.

T. D. MERRILL.

April 7, 1886. ap10 law

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land, more or less, situated on Hardwicke Island, Coast District, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake on the south side, opposite the centre of Helmcken Island, and about 80 chains northwest from the beach and running south 40 chains, thence west 50 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 50 chains to place of commencement.

T. D. MERRILL.

April 7, 1886. ap10 law 2m

Notice.

I HEREBY give notice that it is my intention to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land, more or less, on Salt Spring Island, described as follows:

Commencing at the N. W. corner of Section 12 R. 1 W.; thence due west to the N. W. corner of Section 13, R. 4 W.; thence due north 20 chains thence due west to the sea shore; thence following the shore line in a northerly direction 80 chains, more or less; thence due east to S. the W. corner of Section 7, R. 1 W.; thence due southerly direction to the place of beginning.

ROBERT ROLSTON.

Victoria, March 15, 1886. mar22 law 2m

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 200 acres of land, more or less, situate in Port Neville, Coast District, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake on the west shore and about one-half mile above the mouth of the Inlet and running north 60 chains, then east 40 chains, thence south to beach, thence along the beach to place of commencement.

T. D. MERRILL.

April 7, 1886. ap10 law 2m

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land, more or less, situated on Charles Bay, Thurlow Island, and described as follows:

Commencing at stake on the beach and running east 80 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 40 chains to place of commencement.

T. D. MERRILL.

March 22, 1886. mar23 law 2m

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land, more or less, situated in Salmon River Valley, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake abou. three miles above the mouth, and about 40 chains east of Salmon River and running south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 40 chains to place of commencement.

M. C. IRELAND.

March 22 1886. mar23 law 2m

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, more or less, situated on Salmon River, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake on the west bank and about 30 chains below the mouth of the Memeka river, and running west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains to place of commencement.

T. D. MERRILL.

April 9th, 1886. ap10 law 2m

Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned as proprietors of the New York Restaurant has been dissolved by mutual consent. Frank Davis withdrawing from said firm. All claims against the late firm of Davis & Nelson will be liquidated by Chris. Nelson, who is authorized to collect all outstanding debts due said firm.

FRANK DAVIS, CHRIS. NELSON.

Victoria, April 21 1886. ap24 law 3w

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, more or less, situated on Salmon river, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake on the west bank of said river and 20 chains below the mouth of the Memeka river and running west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains to place of commencement.

T. MERRILL.

April 7, 1886. ap10 law 2m

NOTICE.

TO THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF LANDS AND WORKS:

SIR,—

We hereby give notice that it is our intention to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for licenses to cut timber over one thousand acres of land on each of our respective names for the period of four years. The lands are situated on Queen Charlotte Island and are more particularly designated on the sketch thereto.

We have the honor to remain Sir,

J. H. TURNER,
H. C. BRETON,
A. A. GREEN,
WM. WILSON,
C. CLAFFORD,
H. SAUNDERS,
R. BURNS,
A. McKENZIE,
R. HARVEY,
F. P. SAUNDERS,
JOHN WILSON,
WM. CHROW.

Victoria, March 25, 1886. ma30-law2m

Notice.

DURING my absence in California Frank Campbell holds my power of attorney.

P. MURPHY.

Adelphi Saloon.

October 3rd, 1885 oct3

E. G. PRIOR,

—IMPORTER OF—

Iron, Steel, HARDWARE

—AND—

Agricult'rl Machinery

Builders' Hardware, Miners' Outfits, Farm Wagons, Plows, Harrows, Mowers, Reapers Twine Binders, Etc., Etc., Etc.

GOVERNMENT ST., - VICTORIA.

The London,

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The above well known pioneer establishment has just been thoroughly renovated, refitted and furnished with the celebrated

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Carom and Pool. All the most modern and approved appliances.

The Most Elegant and Comfortable Saloon in the City.

J. W. PHILLIPS, Proprietor.

Respectfully invites the public to test the choicest brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars with which the handsome Bar is supplied. ap3

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100 ACRES OF LAND,

With House, Barn, Orchard, Horses, Cows, and Farming Utensils complete for

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The cheapest place in British Columbia. Persons wanting Farms would do well to consult us.

HAND BROS., Real Estate Brokers, mar3 DEW tf Fort Street, Victoria, B. C.

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BOOK & JOB PRINTER

Government St., near Johnson,

HAVING ADDED A STEAM ENGINE TO his well furnished Printing Office, Will Reduce his already very moderate Prices 25 per cent. on all kinds of Press work.

The satisfaction he has given his customers since his establishment here is a guarantee for continued good work. ap16 2m

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GOVERNMENT ST. VICTORIA, B. C.

L. GOODACRE,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

BUTCHER.

Contractor by appointment to Her Majesty's Royal Navy.

Shipping Supplied at Lowest Rates

For Granite Creek.

THE undersigned is prepared to run a first class

SADDLE TRAIN!

From Coutlee's to Granite Creek

WILL LEAVE COUTLEE'S

Every Tuesday Morning

After the arrival of the mail from Spence's Bridge.

Returning, will leave Granite Creek EVERY THURSDAY MORNING.

Fare from Coutlee's to Granite Creek $7
Express freight ..... 7 cents per lb.

J. J. McDONALD, Proprietor.

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Francis' Stables,

TROUNCE ALLEY,

HAVE BEEN REOPENED BY MR. J. R. TAIT, late of the Fashion Stables, as a first class

FEED, SALE AND LIVERY STABLE.

The finest Horses, Buggies, Phaetons, Hacks and Landaus to let on reasonable terms.

Horses boarded by the day, week or month and the best of attention given.

None but the best horses and rigs will be sent out from these stables.

JOHN R. TAIT,

mar29 Proprietor.

Serviceable and Economical.

McDONALD & Co.'s

Electric Borax Soap

Is the best for general use, because it is strictly pure. It (The Electric Borax Soap)

WILL CLEANSE CLOTHING

With half the usual labor, and without the aid of strong chemical compounds or washing powder.

ASK YOUR GROCER FOR IT

Manufactory—Yates Street, above Douglas, where various brands of

Laundry and Toilet Soaps

are made. ma26 1m

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Books, Periodicals,

AND

STANDARD WORKS ORDERED FROM England and the United States at short notice and at publishers' prices. se17tf

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To Farmers, Milkmen and Poultry Raisers.

"RICE MEAL," for fattening Stock of all kinds.

"CHIT RICE," invaluable to Poultry Raisers.

Victoria Rice Mill, Store Street. feb15 d&w tf

TOWN OF FARWELL

Lots for Sale.

ALLSOP & MASON. oct29tu

For Sale.

TWO SHORT HORN BULL CALVES, seven and nine months old. Sire, Grandsire and Great Grandsire thoroughbred, also Sire and Grandsire of Dams.

1 Span of Workmares.
Young Berkshire Pigs.

W. F. TOLMIE, ap1 Cloverdale, Victoria District.

The Handsome, Large 3-year old Bull

Reuben Butler,

OF FIRST-CLASS SHORT HORN PEDIGREE and recorded, will, unless sold,

Make the Season at Cloverdale, Victoria District.

Common grade Cows $3.00
Three-quarter bred 4.0
Thoroughbreds 10.0

ap1 W. E. TOLMIE.

Just Arrived and for Sale Cheap,

—AT—

J. E. PHILLIPS'

GRANITE AND MARBLE Works, View street, next door to Bay of Fundy Polished Red Granite

MONUMENTS.

This beautiful stone now the prize at the Centennial, 1876. mar24

D. M. EBERTS. W. J. TAYLOR

Eberts & Taylor,

BARRISTERS & SOLICITORS,

Langley Street, Victoria ap18 1m

Hotels and Restaurants.

Halfway House,

Granite Creek Road.

A HOTEL, half way between Nicola and Granite Creek, has been opened for the accommodation of the traveling public, who can make this the first night's stopping place from Nicola, and reach Granite Creek next day.

The Hotel is supplied with all the necessary creature comforts.

Best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars on hand. Charges moderate.

T. RICHARDSON, Proprietor.

jan20 1m d&w

The Colonist Hotel!

BEACON HILL.

Lovely Scenery! Beautiful Surroundings!

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BOOTLE'S BABY.

CHAPTER IX.

Oh, but it was a blow for Bootles! To find he had been duped, tricked, made a fool of all this time; to remember the anxiety, the trouble, the expense to which he had been put; nay, to recall the chaff he had endured, and then to discover that Miss Mignon was Gilchrist's child—the child of the man he went perhaps nearer to hating than any one he had ever known in all his life! Everything came back to him then—the dead man's jibes and sneers and taunts, his unwearied efforts to tax him with an offense which he knew he had not committed. And though he had triumphed in that, oh, what a fool Gilchrist had made of him! That was the sting Bootles felt most of anything.

For hours after he left the anteroom Bootles kept out of every one's way—indeed until Lacy came to tell him that Gilchrist was dead. Then, it being close upon the hour of eleven, he went and knocked at the door of Mignon's nursery. The nurse opened it a few inches, and, seeing who it was, set it open wide.

"Is Miss Mignon asleep?" he asked.

"Yes, sir; hours ago," the woman answered.

He passed into the inner room where the child was lying. A candle burned on a table beside the cot, casting its light on the fair baby face, now flushed in sleep, and on the tangled golden curls. Both her arms lay outside the elder coverlet, one hand grasping the whip with which he had ridden and won that day, the other holding the card of the races. Bootles bent and scanned her face closely, but not one trace could he discern of likeness to the father—not one—and he drew a deep breath of relief that it was so.

Well he remembered Lacy's puzzled scrutiny of the year-old baby. "There's a likeness, but I don't know where to plant it." If there had been a likeness to Gilchrist then, it had now passed away; and as Bootles satisfied himself that it was so, his love for her, which during the last few hours had hung trembling in the balance, though he would hardly have acknowledged it, even to himself, reasserted itself, and rose up in his heart stronger than ever. Just then she moved uneasily in her sleep.

"Lal, where is Bootles?" she asked. Then, after a pause, "Gotted *another* headache?" And an instant later, "Miss Grace said Mignon was to be *very* kind to Bootles."

Bootles bent down and kissed her and she awoke.

"Bootles," she said, in sleepy surprise; then, imperatively, "Take me up."

So Bootles carried her to the fire in the adjoining room, where the nurse was sewing a fresh frill of lace on the pretty velvet frock, with its braidings of scarlet and gold, which she had worn that day.

"Lal said Mignon wasn't to go to Bootles," she said reproachfully.

"Bootles has been bothered, Mignon," he answered.

"Poor Bootles!" stroking his cheek with her soft hand. "Bootles was vexed; Lal said so. But not with Mignon. Mignon told Lal so," confidently.

"Never with Mignon," answered Bootles, resting his cheek against the tossed golden curls, and feeling as if he had done this faithful baby heart a moral injustice by his hours of anger and doubt.

There was a moment of silence, broken by the nurse. "Have you heard, sir, how Mr. Gilchrist is?" she asked.

Bootles roused himself. "He is dead, nurse. Died half an hour ago."

"Then, if you please, sir," she asked, hesitatingly, "might I ask if it is true about Miss Mignon?"

"Yes, it is true," his face darkening.

"Because, sir, Miss Mignon should have mourning," she began, when Bootles cut her short.

"I shall not allow her to wear mourning for Mr. Gilchrist," he said, curtly; so the nurse dared say no more.

Three days later the funeral took place; and if the facts of the dead man's having acknowledged Miss Mignon as his child, and having admitted to Bootles that he had transferred her that night from his own quarters to Bootles' rooms, created a sensation, it was as nothing to the intense surprise called by the will, which was read, by the dead man's desire, before all the officers of the regiment.

In it he left his entire property to his daughter, Mary Gilchrist, now in the care of Capt. Ferrers, and commonly known as Mignon, on condition that Capt. Ferrers consented to be her sole guardian and trustee until she had attained the age of 21, or until her marriage, provided it should be with her guardian's sanction, and on the express understanding that Capt. Ferrers should not give up the care of the child to her mother, even temporarily. To his wife, Helen Gilchrist, a copy of this testament was to be sent forthwith. Should any of the conditions be violated, the whole property of which he died possessed should go to his cousin, Lucian Gavor Gilchrist; but if the conditions be faithfully observed Capt. Ferrers should have the power of applying any, or all, of the income arising from the estate for the use and maintenance of the said Mary Gilchrist.

"Cwaz!" murmured Lacy to Bootles, who listened in contemptuous silence, and wondered in no small dismay what kind of a life he should have if Mignon's mother chose to make herself objectionable.

But the will was not crazy at all; far from it. It was only a very cleverly thought out plan for keeping mother and child apart. Bootles would take care not to endanger Mignon's inheritance, and Gilchrist had taken advantage of it to carry out his animosity towards his wife to the bitter end.

But, of course, there was one contingency he had never thought of or provided for—*marriage*.

It was less than a week after Gilchrist's death that Bootles received a note by hand, signed Helen Gilchrist.

"Already!" he groaned, impatiently.

"May I trouble you to send the child to see me for half an hour during this afternoon," she said, and that was all.

But Bootles did not see *sending* the child to be quietly stolen away. He forgot quite that since Gilchrist had not left his widow a farthing she would probably be now no better able to provide for the child than she had been when compelled to cast her baby upon the father's mercy. Therefore, immediately after lunch, he drove down to the hotel from which the note had been written. Yes; Mrs. Gilchrist was within—this way. And then—then—Bootles, with the child fast holding his hand, was shown into a room, and there they found—*Miss Grace!*

Bootles watched them—the two he loved best on earth.

The truth flashed into his mind instantly. She rose hurriedly, and he saw that she was clad in black, but was not in widow's dress. She fell upon her knees and almost smothered Mignon with kisses.

"Mignon! Mignon!" she cried.

"Mignon has been very kind to Bootles," Mignon explained, not knowing whether to laugh or cry.

"My Mignon! my baby!" the mother sobbed.

Bootles watched them—the two things he loved best on earth.

"Have you nothing to say to me?" he asked at last.

"What shall I say?" She had risen from her knees, and now moved shyly away.

"You might say," said Bootles, severely, "that you are very sorry that you, a married woman, deceived me and stole my heart away. You might say that, for one thing."

"But I am not sorry," cried Mignon's mother, audaciously.

"Then you might take a leaf out of Mignon's book, and say, as she says when I have a headache, 'Mignon *loves* Bootles.'"

"I wreally do think," remarked Lacy to the fellows, when the astounding news had been told and freely discussed, "that now we must let that poor, malicious, cwooked-minded chap west in his gwaves in peace. Seems to me," he continued, with his most reflective air, "that—er—Solomon was wright, and said a vewry wise thing, when he said, 'Love laughs at locksmiths.'"

"Solomon!" cried a voice, amid a shout of laughter.

"Oh, wasn't it Solomon?" questioned Lacy, mildly. "It's of no consequence; some one said it. But only think of that poor devil spending his last moments wrasling a barwrier to keep mother and child apart, and old Bootles fulfills all the conditions to the letter—and bweaks them all in the spirit by—marwiage!"

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One of the hardest and most frequent duties which a policeman has to perform is that of looking after drunkards. In every city of moderate size, the older members of the police forces will know a certain number of habitual drunkards, their names, their occupations, and the peculiarity of their weaknesses.

There are always a number of high-toned inebriates, a larger number of those who go upon a spree occasionally, and a still larger collection of common drunkards. Each of these classes the policeman of any experience knows just how to handle. There is as great a variety of drunken dispositions as there are of natural temperaments, and it is in dealing with each phase of the disease or the sin that the good judgment of a policeman is as often as well displayed as in any other of his multifarious duties.

THE DISCRIMINATING "COPPER."

In every city there is an ordinance against drunkenness, and every offender against an ordinance is supposed to be liable to arrest but if the newly appointed "copper" should start out with the intention of arresting every person who happened to be drunk, he would soon find that he had his hands full of work, and that jails everywhere would have to be enlarged to accommodate the multitude. So he confines himself to the boisterous ones.

Drunkenness is similar to insanity in that it generally reverses the ordinary appearance of its subjects. Some people claim that it changes men's dispositions, while others adhere to the belief that drunkenness only unties a natural or acquired reserve or restraint, and brings to the surface the natural disposition or the real character of the person "under the influence."

A sullen, stolid, quiet, or thoughtful man will often be brightened by liquor, and there are many men who are simply human blocks when in a natural condition, but who will become quite entertaining companions when a little elevated by the ardent. A stage or two farther down in the path of inebriation, and they will become disgustingly maudlin, or may degenerate into sleeping stupidity.

Little, mild-mannered, inoffensive men will sometimes become raving maniacs when drunk, and while the inspiration of "sour mash" is upon them their highest ambition is to "do up a whole town." They want to fight anybody from a man the size of a church down, and are very fond of proclaiming their belief that no policeman can arrest them. They are generally doubled up when arrested, and look very feeble when they appear in the dock at police court the next morning.

Men who go from day to day the very pinks of propriety and the embodiment of politeness, often become profane and foul-mouthed to a terrible extremo when intoxicated. Lisping dudes, so feeble ordinarily that the act of buttoning a collar will make them sigh with weariness, bear a striking resemblance to an invalid Bengal tiger when they get upon a spree.

MANAGEMENT OF THE UNRULY.

There is no general rule for a policeman to follow in regard to arresting drunkards. The nearest approach to a rule is to allow all quiet drunkards, who know their own names and who are not making a disturbance, to go to their homes, if their appearance indicates that that they are likely to get there all right. A drunken man is often under great obligation to a policeman for not arresting and locking him up in jail. He was perhaps noisy, or more probably he was in a locality or with companions who were likely to rob him. Possibly the policeman knew him as an ordinarily good citizen, or knew that he belonged to a family which would feel keenly the disgrace of having one of its members jailed. So the policeman took the man home, and, perhaps, got abused all the way for doing so.

Men who make a specialty of getting drunk generally have one or two policemen who are their friends. Often a fighting drunkard who is making a bar-room tremble, or who has subdued an entire street, will be like a lamb at the approach of his favorite "copper." Any other member of the same force would still make him more belligerent; but this particular one will quiet him on sight, and he will suffer himself to be led away and placed in a dungeon cell without a murmur.

Some drunken men who are brave in "standing off" a crowd wilt like a wet rag when they see a blue coat and brass buttons. To others the sight of a police uniform has the same effect as the waving of a red flag before an angry bovine, and he will fight harder than ever.

Hacks and express wagons are often called into play to assist in the arrest of a wild drunkard. The latter vehicle is easier to access while the former secures greater security after once the subject is inside. The last named mode of conveying a drunkard is, however, often accompanied by bills for broken back windows. Drunken women are the hardest of all inebriates to arrest. They will generally throw themselves down and scream and kick, and scratch and bite, and the rapidity and variety with which they kick will remind the observer of the antics of a sprightly centipede. "Common drunkards," those who lay around a city and get drunk for a living, are picked up like chips from time to time and are fined or put upon the chain gangs in bunches, as radishes are sold in a market.—Denver Tribune-Republican.

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CITY AND PROVINCE.

—133 hogs and 6 horses for J. Cameron arrived by the North Pacific to-day.

—Black codfish from Queen Charlotte Sound at Neufelder & Ross'. *

—The long winded case of Fan vs. Fan comes up in the court on Monday next.

—If you want a modern building, have your plans made by Fisher the Architect.*

—All colors of DIAMOND DYES, at Moore & Co.'s Chemists, Yates St. *

—Pendray & Co.'s Oatmeal Toilet Soap is gaining in favor every day. *

—Carter's London Sweed Turnip Seed, crop of 1885, grown by T. Tugwell, for sale by Neufelder & Ross. *

—Colachans, Oolachans, from the Naas River—new catch—at Saunder's grocery, Johnson street. *

LAWN TENNIS SHOES, cheap for cash, for the fifteen days, at H. MANSELL'S Government street. *

—Lovers of the cue should remember that THE LANSDOWNE billiard parlor is the best in town. *

—If you want an article that will give you satisfaction every time, try Pendray & Co.'s Blue Mottled Soap. *

—The Sal Soda and Washing Powder manufactured by Pendray & Co., is the best in the market and cheap, too. *

—The steamer Teaser will now check baggage to Burrard Inlet, New Westminster, Ladner's Landing, Hope and way ports. *

—A full line of BOYS and YOUTHS CLOTHING received to-day; latest styles and lowest prices. A. GILMORE, Johnson street, Victoria. *

—T. J. Jones, L.S.D., has removed his dental rooms over the new Bank of British Columbia, corner of Government and Fort streets. Telephone Call No. 507.*

—W. Young, a member of the police force, was suspended from duty last Saturday for being off his beat. Edward Abel is filling his position.

—The thoroughbred Jersey Bull "El Rio," No. 13698, at Kelvin street, (opposite Tolmie's gate) Saanich Road. For particulars of service apply to F. REVELY, Victoria. P. O. Box 438. *

—TEN MILE running race at the Victoria Roller Rink on Wednesday evening for the championship and a gold medal. Skating from 7:30 till 9 p. m. Admission, ladies, 15 cents; gents, 25 cents. Queen City Band in attendance. *

Consignees by North Pacific: A Cowan, British Am P Co, D Curtis, D E Campbell, D McDonald, E G Prior, Fell & Co, F Kimball, G H Maynard, H Harvey, J Wilson, J Dwyer, J Weiler, J Cameron, J Sehl, J & A Boscowitz, M Lenz, M R & Tye, Moody Tel Co, W G Luker, Muirhead & Carter, S J Pitts, A W Huson.

—NOTICE—Steamer Maude is now open for charter to West Coast, Vancouver Island, excursions for limited number to any place or places on the Coast of B. C. towing, lightering, &c. Coal by cargo from Nanaimo, delivered on wharf, Victoria, at $1.00 per ton. Apply at office C. P. N. Co., Ld. Jno. Irving, Manager. *

—Consignees per steamship Sardonyx from San Francisco: J Englehardt, H Saunders, A C, B & C, B, E B Marvin, J D, diamond S, J B, P& Co, T Shotbolt, A A T, E A W, J C & Co, A G H & S, A R & Co, P Cable, Welch Rithet & Co, V C M & L Co.

THE TOMBS OF OUR ANCESTORS.

Who is, or who is not responsible for the custody and proper preservation of the grave yard—the Old Cemetery—as it is familiarly known to Pioneer Victorians—situate on the junction of Meares and Quadra streets, and going up to the property of the Episcopal Church of England. Not unfrequently strange stories have been told of the uses to which the grave yard has been put to. As a matter of fact it is known to at least one of the city press that the sanctity of "God's Acre" is violated by flirts and those who have but little recollection of parentage or their land of actual birth. At the present time gaping to the canopy there is a vault with its slabs fallen down and the coffin of the deceased exposed to view. In other portions of the grave-yard monuments have been broken down and the last resting places of the dead defiled. So far as the Mongolian consecrated ground is concerned, the altar for burnt offerings have been scored with obscene figuration and obliteration. That is a matter solely for "John." Still in the capital of the Province, the naval station of the Northern Pacific it is indecent in the extremity of that adjective to know that graves are torn down and that the very mounds over which the tender hands of memory have placed significant flowers are the loitering places of those who have no right in the sacred precincts. The government and by alienation of its rights should see that sacred ground is protected and prosecute those who violate it.

FOR QUEEN CHARLOTTE.

A prospecting party of four men well known in the province, consisting of three practical miners and one assayer were amongst the Boscowitz' passengers for the north last night. They are provided with a complete outfit of mining and blacksmith's tools as well as an assay outfit. It is their intention to spend the summer on the west coast of Queen Charlotte Island, more especially in the vicinity of Gold Harbor, in hopes to finding the lost lead worked years ago by the Hudson Bay Company, for which that company extracted some $70,000 in a short time. It is to be hoped the efforts of our citizens, in this instance, will be crowned with that success which their energy and enterprise entitles them to.

MAZATLAN AND BACK.

The steamship Sardonyx, Captain Bucknam, arrived at the outer wharf early this morning, bringing in a cargo of general merchandise from San Francisco and six passengers. She experienced a boisterous voyage from the Bay City, but made the passage in five and a-half days. To-morrow morning she will leave for New Westminster and Nanaimo and next week she will carry back to the sandy shores of the Southern Pacific two hundred Mongolians from these shores. Mexico is welcome to this character of exportation and Victoria is glad to say that home trade is appreciated inwards.

I. O. G. T.

At the regular meeting of Perseverance Lodge, No. 1, I. O. G. T., held last evening, the following officers were duly installed for the ensuing quarter by Bro. A. B. Erskine, Lodge Deputy: P. W. C. T., Bro. Hastie; W. C. T., Bro. Mable; W. R. H. S., Sister Booth; W. L. H. S., Sister Logan; W. V. T., Sister Carter; W. S., Bro. Barnsley; W. F. S., Bro. Douglass; W. T., Sister Bailey; W. M., Bro. Pierce; W. D. M., Sister Gibbs; W. Chap., Bro. Spence; W. I. G., Sister Brown; W. O. G., Bro. Jones. The good work is progressing.

THANKS.

A "friend," whose actions speak louder than words, has donated $15 to that worthy institution the Royal Hospital. "Friends" of this stamp are few and far between.

SPRING ASSIZES.

(Chief Justice Sir M. B. Begbie Presiding.)

THIRD DAY.

WEDNESDAY, May 5.

THE CASE AGAINST CAPT. MOORE.

The Court met at 11:20 a. m. when the Registrar called on the case of Regina vs. Wm. Moore, senior, Wm. Moore, jr., Hy. Moore and Benjamin Moore.

Capt. Wm. Moore, senior, responded to his name and appeared in the dock and put in a plea of "not guilty" on the charge of stealing 5¼ tons of coals, the property of John Herbert Turner. The date being on the 13th November, 1885.

Mr. Taylor (of Eberts & Taylor) appeared for the defendants. The Attorney-General appeared for the Crown and explained the law on the points involved and asked that the case as against Wm. Moore, sen., be traversed until the next Assizes, the important evidence for the prosecution being absent, amongst that Ernest Victor Bodwell one of the witnesses whose deposition stated that Mr. Theodore Davie had been employed in the case and that Cyrus Hardy had been employed on board the steamer Teaser at the time of the alleged offence and was now absent. The depositions of Officer Hy. Sheppard were also put in stating, first that he had been unable to serve *subpoenas* either on Hardy or Mr. McQuade. The former was, so far as deponent knew employed on the steamer Idaho and Mr. McQuade had only arrived last night on board the steamer Cariboo Fly.

The Hon. A. N. Richards stated that he appeared with Mr. Taylor for the defence and was ready to go to trial.

His Lordship stated that he would be prepared to renew the prisoner's recognizances and let the case go over until the next assizes.

Mr. Richards contended that his client was under heavy bonds and he had been here at the last assizes and he was now entitled to plead or not. The learned counsel explained that the prisoner was now engaged in steamboat business and that it would be extremely inconvenient for him to remain under the existing sureties. The Crown should have had its witnesses ready. The learned counsel for the prisoner had made no effort to spirit away witnesses, and as a matter of fact the affidavits did not show that the Crown had made diligent efforts for the production of witnesses.

His Lordship said that it appeared to him that the learned counsel (Mr. Richards) had read the affidavits very carefully and his Lordship would ask why counsel did not make an affidavit stating that the defence was stayed through the absence of Mr. Theodore Davie, in whose office the affidavit of Mr. Bodwell and other witnesses had been taken.

Mr. Taylor claimed that he and his senior for the defence were entitled to know what the Crown expected to prove. Counsel denied that there had been any effort on his part or for the defence to spirit away any witness as had been intimated by the Attorney-General. Under the circumstances the Crown should either enter a *nolle prosequi* or release the prisoner from the obligation of a renewal of his sureties.

His Lordship questioned his jurisdiction on the point which must naturally arise on an indictment for piracy—and the word piracy ran all through the indictment. The order of the Court would be that the prosecution both for larceny and piracy be enlarged until the next assizes.

Mr. Richards asked that His Lordship would note the fact that the prisoner did not plead to the indictment of piracy at the last assize.

His Lordship—Yes, I will note that you and the Counsel for the defence take exception to everything the Attorney-General wants to be done.

The prisoner was then removed from the dock.

CELESTIALS IN THE TOILS.

The three Mongolians who were indicted for breaking into the store of J. R. McKenzie on Government street in this city, and who were found "guilty" were then brought up for sentence. Wing Mong was sentenced to imprisonment for one year. Ah Goon and Ah Ching were released on their own recognizances in the sum of $250 to appear when called upon to receive sentence.

The Court then took recess until 1.30 p. m.

WE, US & CO.

The Victoria Theatre was comfortably filled last night to witness the initial performance of Mestayer's comedy company in a whimsical absurdity entitled We, Us & Co. at Mud Springs. There had been doubts about the ability of the company for the simple reason that we have had some bad shows lately, but all doubts were laid aside after the curtain rose and the piece progressed. We, Us & Co is a breeze of merriment. The company is composed of clever comedians among which is Walter Goldie, who took the part of Dr. Mulo Medicus, a veterinary surgeon in a satisfactorily manner and sung some very taking songs. Mellville Stolts, Johnny Williams, William Gilbert, and the ladies, gave good satisfaction and merited the applause of the audience. We, Us & Co. give their final performance this evening and everybody should not fail to attend as it is a splendid show. Reserve seats at Wsitt & Co.'s.

NOISY BOYS.

At the theatre last night, some of the "gods" in the gallery were very noisy before the play began. There are a number of youths that make a practice of shouting and stamping whenever they visit the Victoria, and if there is a hitch in a person finding a seat they redouble their noises. Last night they were very boisterous, which is anything but pleasant to the refined portion of the audience. In large cities a special officer watches the gallery and ejects the noisy ones. It is to be hoped that the boys will reform and conduct themselves properly in the future.

TEN MILE RACE.

At the skating rink to-night there will be run a ten mile race for the championship and a gold medal, presented by the managers, Messrs. Dewar & Baxter. The entries so far are T. Watson, Verheil, Forest and probably Cannon the "Coal Miner," four fleet runners. The race is a long one, being 130 circuits of the rink. The men are in good trim, and the race will be won on its merits. The medal is a beauty, being of solid gold, with a runner engraved on one side and the Victoria Roller Rink 10-mile championship medal on the reverse side. It is the work of Mr. G. Crowther, engraver, Fort street.

A COSTLY CATHEDRAL.

In San Francisco yesterday, Archbishop Riordan made public the estimates of the cost of a new Roman Catholic Cathedral. The edifice will cost $200,000, but no estimate has been made of the ground to be bought on which it is to be erected. The Archbishop is credited with saying that he would look to the working people to contribute $100,000.

A REFORMER COMING.

Ben Hogan, a reformed gambler, has begun a series of revival meetings in San Francisco, and after going south a short distance preaching, will visit this city and return to California again by way of the Sound. These reformed gamblers "bob up serenely" once in a while, but it is a question whether their exhortations bear any fruit.

FROM ALBERNI.

Items of Interest from a Correspondent—A Very Fertile and Promising Section.

At last! so may of our settlers are coming out, casting a satisfied glance at the blue sky. Yes, at last, the tiresome flow of water from the cloudy heavens is stopped and once more we enjoy the beams of the golden sun. The settlers are busy now planting their crops and endeavoring to get even with lost time. A long continuous rain we had for nearly five months in succession, and the only satisfaction for us was the fact that there were more or less meteorological disturbances all over the globe. May be that the planets in perihelion had something to do with it, in which case we would rather wish that the planets should not extend their visits to Helios any longer.

New settlers are already flocking in and most all of them are locating land, of which there is yet plenty in the suburbs of the settlement and in the valley. It is possible that the number of settlers may increase this year to about 250, and the time will not be far when the Alberni Valley may number as the bright nucleus of British Columbia. The climate in this valley is quite different from that of the coast, being sheltered from heavy winds and fogs; consequently we can rival any district north of California in the production of cereals, fruits and vegetables.

Should Mr. Armand, one of our settlers, who lately imported from the eastern part of France, the Rhine and California, several thousands of grape vines, succeed in the culture of the grape, then without doubt there is a great future in store for this valley. The vines are already rooted and budding. It is said that a wine-grower can make a good living on seven to eight acres of grapes, besides adding to his bank account. *Eh bien nous verrons*, as Mr. Armand says. So far, the great drawback of the valley was the lack of ample communication with the outside world, but since the construction of roads by the Government to and in Alberni, the prospects are a little brighter.

Still there is some more needed, and especially so a mail steamer, plying between here and Victoria, at least once a week, to enable new settlers to come in and give the old settlers a chance to visit the metropolis for the purpose of engaging in business communication and bringing back and forth merchandise, as well as country produce. An enterprising shipowner could probably risk the venture without loss by chartering a small steamer for the establishment of such a line. Arrangement could be made with the Postoffice officials to grant a mail contract, and a subsidy from the Local Government should be given, as it would certainly be an advantage for the latter to have the land settled as quick as possible.

The ancient Mill company is, as it seems to be at present, busy converting their old mill-site into town lots, thereby intending to dispose of their cheaply acquired lands for a good cash price, and I should not wonder to see in a short time the following advertisements in THE TIMES and some of the other leading papers: Alberni! Alberni! Alberni!! The beautiful city, in the heart of B. C. Lots cheap for sale—Inquire of *** & Co., Real Estate Agents.

It is rather strange to see a townsite to be located on the old mill site; that place being too far away from the majority of the settlers with no good land in the suburbs to back it. If a town were really needed there would be a better location than Mr. Taylor's, Mr. Johnson's or Mr. Clark's lands. A town must subsist on something, either from the settlers or from some industry, and as the latter is not prevalent it must be from the former. But the good land is all situated in a semicircle opposite to the proposed townsite; beside it can not be expected that the settlers will trade with a town being from three to eight miles from their farms. The only advantage would be a safe steamboat landing, near the old mill site. For the same expenditure a waterway could be worked to the present landing—the fish and trading house of Messrs. Sayward & Co.

The settlers are well contented to exercise their voting power in the next election. It is not known which party will be favored in such an event. The majority of the settlers being Canadians, Scotch and English, are consequently not disturbed by Home Rule or Riel questions; neither by Chinese nor Knights of Labor. There is a good chance here for your stump orators to win the affections and votes of many of the newcomers. So far as accommodation on the stump is concerned, it may interest these individuals to know that there are stumps here fully ten feet in diameter, affording ample room for an exhibition for a couple of gladiators, with another member of the body than the tongue, so that it will not be necessary for those gentlemen to bring a platform along, except that of their respective creed (in political sense.) The only thing a stump speaker has to do is to walk about 23 miles over a mountain trail; but when his legs are tired he can use his tongue advantageously. Neither need such a benefactor of a constitutional country be alarmed for a night's rest or a square meal. Mr. Frank McQuillan and Mr. Saunders will accommodate travelers with the necessaries of life, and their mutual friend, Mr. Mollet, J. P., will hospitably entertain any guest in his palace on the river bend. ANCONAUT.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

Important to the Citizens of Victoria and the People of British Columbia Generally.

John Campbell, proprietor of the London, Ont., Carriage Works, begs to thank those who hitherto patronized his establishment, and to announce that in order to meet the wants of his customers in this city and province he has opened a branch repository of his London establishment in Mr. Sehl's premises, Langley street, second door north of Fort, in which will be found samples of the work built in his factory, such as extension-top phetons, two seated phetons, single phetons, top buggies and carts; all manufactured out of the best materials, with steel axles, steel tires and cast-steel springs, all of which will be sold at the very lowest prices that the highest class of work will permit of. We do not pretend or attempt to compete with concerns which build carriages to be auctioned or sold on commission. An experience of 35 years in business enables me to give my patrons such work as cannot fail to please and satisfy, and at lowest living rates. Call and inspect my stock, in the premises above described. John Campbell, Carriage Works, London, Ont., and Victoria, B. C.

STABBED.

A young man well known in this city, was stabbed in the breast and arm on Saturday night last in a bagnio on Broad street, by the keeper of the disreputable house. The wounds are not serious, however, and the young man will recover all right. There's no danger of the case coming up in the Police Court.

DANGEROUSLY ILL.

Captain McKinnon, keeper of the lighthouse on Behrens Island, at the entrance to the harbor, was very low this morning, the cause being an attack of hemorrhage of the lungs, which may prove fatal.

GOSNELL'S SUGAR CURED HAMS

are now ready at his store, corner Cormorant and Douglas streets. *

FOR THE NORTH.

The steamer Barbara Boscowitz sailed for the Skeena and way ports at midnight last night, carrying a large freight, a quantity of which was tin for the canneries. The passengers were W. H. Van Bremmer, J. Williams, H. R. Troup, A. Donaldson, Dunn, all for Skidegate. For Metlakatlah, J. T. Turner and wife, K. Bruce, Rev. W. Duncan and F. Gough. For Skeena, C. B. Palmer, F. W. Harte, F. Williams, W. Davis, Mrs. Youmans, Mrs. St. Pierre, Mrs. Swanson and several siwashes and Chinamen.

ROCK BAY SCHOOL.

Hons. Messrs. Robson and Duck, Supt. Pope, and Trustees Harris, Heistermau and McMicking, proceeded to Rock Bay yesterday to select a site for the proposed school house. No choice was made but a lot near ex-Mayor Turner's will probably be selected; but is it central enough? We do not believe in a school being situated too near the water, accidents may happen.

ANGLICAN CHURCH SYNOD.

The Synod of the Anglican Church in British Columbia held a meeting in the Cathedral school house this morning, when some very important business was transacted. The ordinary morning service was held at 10 o'clock in the Cathedral. The celebration of the Holy Communion and the Synod's sermon were preached by Canon Dwyer, M. A.

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J. Q. HEWLINGS, For the Secretary.

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MR. R. J. CAMPBELL, B.A., will open Classes on Monday, May 3rd, at the Church of England Institute, Blanshard street. Candidates for special Examinations privately prepared. Ten years' successful experience. P. O. Box 828, Victoria. ap26

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